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Fixtures for sale.

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TO ADVERTISERS.

Orders for changes in the reading of advertisements must be handed in to the Times office before 10 a.m. to insure insertion the same day. New advertisements, displayed, will be received up to 3 p.m. and small ads. until 4 p.m. Merchants and other patrons will aid us a great deal by observing these rules, as the work of re-setting requires time and care, and cannot be done satisfactorily when the paper is being prepared for press.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY of British Columbia hold their regular meeting on Monday, October 1st, at 8 p.m., in Provincial library.
Sept29-1t.

IF YOU will call at Sampson's book exchange to-day you can buy books at half price or exchange novels at 5c. each.
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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE FAILED.

The Death of a Young Believer in the Faith Cure Causes an Uproar.

She Had Discarded Her Doctor and Medicine for a Christian Scientist.

Philadelphia, Sept. 29.—Faith failed to cure Miss Sadie Bell of consumption, and she died at her home at Taylor's Lane, just above Riverton, N. J., on last Tuesday. As a result Mrs. Bessie T. Glenn, in whom Miss Bell had admitted confidence, will probably have to explain to the Burlingham County Court why she practiced healing without a physician's certificate. The girl was only 20 years old. A heavy cold left her a year ago with a hacking cough, and Dr. Alexander Marcy, of Riverton, who had always attended her parents, discovered that her lungs were diseased. Change of climate was out of the question, for her father, Joseph Bell, was unable to bear the expense and telling her parents the exact state of the case, Dr. Marcy tried by treatment to shake off the disease. In the meantime the girl heard rumors that she had consumption and was very much discouraged and disconsolate. A friend told her of Mrs. Glenn's wonderful cures. Mrs. Bell says this friend declared that through Mrs. Glenn's assistance she had entirely recovered from partial paralysis of the right side. Miss Bell was much interested in Mrs. Glenn and she perceiving no distinct improvement under Dr. Marcy pleaded with her parents to allow her to consult Mrs. Glenn. They in turn spoke to Dr. Marcy who told them that if it was possible to cure or check the disease it must be done at once and that there was no time for experimenting. Anxious to please their child, the parents consented. All medicines and stimulants of every sort were immediately thrown away. The girl placed implicit confidence in her new physician and hope of a long life brightened her considerably. At first Miss Bell went to Mrs. Glenn's office in Palmyria and held her hand to better obtain the influence of her mind and often on a Sunday the two journeyed together to Philadelphia and worshipped at the Christian Science headquarters of Arich street. About five weeks ago Miss Bell grew too weak to leave the house, and then her parents were anxious to bring back their old physician, Dr. Marcy, but under no condition would Miss Bell allow him to be sent for. On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Glenn left her charge, cheered by the delusive hope that she was almost well but an attack came on before 7 o'clock that night and before Mrs. Glenn could arrive Miss Bell was dead. Trouble immediately arose over a death certificate, which Mrs. Glenn, not having a diploma, had no right to grant. Of a necessity Coroner A. V. Horner of Palmyria was summoned and he declared a post mortem examination necessary to ascertain the cause of her death. This was conducted yesterday morning by Dr. Marcy, in the presence of the coroner and Undertaker Belton. Dr. Marcy discovered that death was due to exhaustion. Miss Bell's consumption could not be cured by Christian Science.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GIRL WANTED at 120 Blanchard street, corner Herald. Call between 9 a.m. and 10 p.m.
Sept29-tf.

RE JOHN GILMORE'S ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia in the matter of the estate of John Gilmore, and in an action, Beaven and Yates v. Ellen Gilmore, the creditors of John Gilmore, late of Nicola valley, B. C., who died in or about the month of January, 1894, are, on or before the 31st day of October, 1894, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Bodwell & Irving, of 21 Bastion street, Victoria, B. C., the solicitors of the plaintiffs, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorarily excluded from the benefits of the said order.

Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Honorable Mr. Justice Tyrwhitt Drake at his chambers in the court house, Bastion square, Victoria, on the 9th day of November, 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, that being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.

Dated the 29th day of September, 1894.

HARVEY COMBE,
Deputy Registrar.

Sept. 29-td.

FOR THE NORTH
The Steamer
BARBARA BOSCOWITZ
Carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will sail for Fort Simpson and way ports on
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At 7 o'clock p.m. from Spratt's wharf. For freight or passage apply to
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Tuesday Evening, Oct. 2,
in honor of the visiting delegates. Tickets $1.75 each, to be had at E. J. Salmon's, H. L. Salmon's, H. Waller's, Speed Bros., Watson & Hall's, and from members of committee.
Sep29-td.

ANOTHER FIELD SPOILED.

Joselyn's Attempt to Land Opium in Hawaii Failed.

San Francisco, Sept. 29.—A few members of the gang of opium smugglers which was broken up in this port recently, have transferred their field of operations to Honolulu. The majority of the men who composed the Emerald ring were sent to San Quentin but two or three escaped to Victoria. There they hatched new plans and the result was that a short time ago, Charles S. Joselyn who is under indictment here for smuggling in connection with the Emerald ring, went to Honolulu with several trunks full of opium. The trunks bore the name of J. Jamieson, which was assumed by Joselyn. He stated to Sanders, surveyor of the port of Honolulu, that he desired to leave the trunks in the custom house until he started for some other islands; that he was a commercial traveller and had all the samples he wanted in other trunks. A few days later Joselyn asked Sanders to allow him to take the goods out of the custom house but he was not successful. Sanders learned from the customs authorities that Jamieson the commercial traveller and Joselyn the smuggler were the same person. He ordered the trunks opened and they were found full of opium, the importation of which was not allowed in Honolulu. Joselyn must have learned of the discovery of the customs officers for he could not be found. He had taken passage on the steamer Warrimoo for Victoria and escaped. Joselyn is the man who claimed the 800 tins of opium recently seized while in transit to Honolulu. It was packed up neatly and labelled "Tracts," and was consigned to a supposed priest at Molokai, the leper settlement. Joselyn claimed the United States government had no right to seize the goods in transit.

HAYTIAN ASSASSINS.

Arrested and Shot After a Brief Trial.

Halifax, Sept. 29.—Mail steamer advices from Jamaica bring further particulars from Port au Prince of the attempted assassination of Hippolyte's daughter. The passengers and officers of the vessel on which the proposed victim was heard shots fired about midnight, and on asking the reason the next morning they were informed that a man had attempted to stab Madame Alexis Gauthier, the eldest daughter of the president. The miscreant was caught in the act and immediately arrested. Upon being questioned he immediately admitted his guilt and gave the names of four persons who he said were implicated with him. These persons were sent for and brought to the palace, and after a brief trial were shot on Saturday morning. The object of the assassination was to shoot the daughter in the hope that the president himself would hear the shots and come to the rescue. In that event he would have been a victim and would have been a mark for rifle shots. A similar attempt was made during the presidency of Salomon some years ago. Following are the names of the executed: Fabre Mariattle, Equitain Sedastjan, Marish Jean and Phillippe Fortune. All were arrested in "flagrante delicto."

HINE ANSWERED.

His Charges Respecting Jews and Fire Insurance Denied.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, the rabbi, who represented his race in the parliament of religions, is indignant at an attack made by Editor Hine, of New York, on the Jews as to fire risks. He says: "Many Jews are small traders and merchants, and they are more subject to fire than large merchants, who have fine buildings to carry on their business. The Jews have been kept along such small lines of trade for the last fifteen hundred years from persecution by just such men as Hine. The Jews are not a nation. All good Jews here are American citizens of a high type. We do not isolate ourselves, as Mr. Hine alleges. We do not refuse to mingle with other races, as he claims. We isolate ourselves to that degree which others compel the children of good Jewish families to do. We are refused admission to private schools and cannot even go to dancing schools because of their race ties."

INSANE JEALOUSY

Causes a Young Girl To Open Her Room-mate's Letters.

Cincinnati, Sept. 29.—A pretty and bright young girl was arrested recently for opening a letter addressed to her room-mate, Anna McHugh. The girl arrested gave the name of Georgia Burke, but it was later ascertained that she also went by the name of Dolores Lome. When arraigned before the United States commissioner the girl admitted her guilt, but pleaded insane jealousy and appeared to be in excruciating physical agony. The commissioner believed she was shamming, but at last she was sent to the city hospital. At her trial Anna McHugh appeared and begged for the release of her room-mate, and she has remained at her side ever since. Yesterday the hospital authorities made their report. They say Miss Burke's case is [illegible] that of Alice Mitchell.

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Dollar buys a pair of men's wonderful value solid leather bals, manufactured only by Russell & McDonald, 134 Douglas street.

INCOMPETENT AND CORRUPT.

That is What the Chinese Emperor Has to Say About His Navy.

The Japanese Troops Effect a Landing to the Northward of Cheefoo.

London, Sept. 29.—The Westminster Gazette reprints Shanghai dispatches to a London news agency stating that vague rumors are circulating that the Japanese forces have effected a landing to northward of Chefoo. A dispatch received from Yokohama to the same agency states that the reserves and imperial guards have been ordered out for duty.

Shanghai dispatches says the Chinese emperor attributes the recent Chinese defeat to incompetency and corruption. This has caused a panic in the palace and rendered the position of affairs in China extremely serious.

A Tokio correspondent says: "The commander of the Japanese warship Naniwa reports that in company with the warship Akitsushima, he searched the Gulf of Tairenwan in Manchuria and found the Chinese cruiser Kwank Kai stranded. The Chinese on the approach of the Japanese vessels, fired their vessel and fled."

A Port Arthur dispatch says the Japanese fleet has established headquarters in the Gulf of Corea, near the Chinese coast. The Gulf of Pechili is being patrolled by Japanese cruisers. Later advices from Shanghai state that the Japanese destroyed the stranded Chinese warship Kwang Kai.

SAVED FROM THE GALLOWS.

McWhirrell's Sentence Commuted to Life Imprisonment.

Ottawa, Sept. 29.—The cabinet yesterday afternoon considered the case of McWhirrell, who was to be hanged on Monday, and decided to recommend a commutation of the death sentence to imprisonment for life. The under secretary of state to-day officially notified Sheriff Broddy of Brampton that the death sentence had been thus commuted.

Brampton, Sept. 29.—McWhirrell sobbed and prayed when he heard the sound of hammers used yesterday morning in the erection of the gallows for his execution on Monday. At noon he received a dispatch from his lawyer at Ottawa, saying that a decision in his case would be made last evening, and later a dispatch announced the commutation. McWhirrell still says he is innocent and he hopes to be released yet.

PETER WAS MURDERED.

Body of the Cheam Constable Found in the Fraser.

New Westminster, Sept. 29.—Cheam Peter, the Indian policeman who disappeared mysteriously last week, was murdered. His body has been found on a bar in the river opposite Cheam. The head was smashed in by some dull instrument. Constable Lister is on the ground working up evidence. The story that Peter was drunk when he left the Harrison reserve is now believed to be untrue.

NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

Hon. Mr. Mercier Spends a Bad Night—The End Expected.

Meaford, Ont., Sept. 29.—Mrs. W. C. Dunseath, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., daughter of Mr. Christopher Clarke, of Euphrasia, has been on a visit here, not being well. She was staying with friends in town to be near the doctor who she paid daily visits. On Tuesday morning she left her friend's house for the doctor's, promising to come straight back as a horse and buggy were in waiting to take her to her father's in Euphrasia. Strange to say she has never been seen or heard of since that time, although search has been made for miles around. Her friends are dragging the river in fear that she may have been drowned.

Toronto, Sept. 29.—Mr. William Shepard, manager of the Mail Job Printing company, died suddenly at his home last night of heart failure. Mr. Shepard has been ailing for nearly two years, but had been only confined to his bed for the past six weeks. He was tolerably well until a few minutes before his death, when he was suddenly attacked with one of the fits of heart trouble to which he was subject.

London, Ont., Sept. 29.—The Stevens & Burns foundry is again in operation. Mr. Burns has retired, and the firm will be known in the future as the Stevens Manufacturing Co.

Goderich, Ont., Sept. 29.—A sad accident occurred at Saltford to-day. Samuel Sanderson, of Dungannon, employed in teaming coal for the Goderich harbor works, was driving down the long hill near the brewery, when the tongue of the wagon became loose in some way, when the horses ran away, throwing Sanderson out and killing him almost instantly.

Inter-State Fair.

For the Inter-State Fair at Tacoma, the steamer City of Kingston has made a round trip rate of $5.70, including two admissions to the fair.

Tickets on sale every Tuesday and Friday, from August 14th to October 30th inclusive, with final limit of twenty days from date of sale.

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Awarded Gold Medal Midwinter Fair, San Francisco.

CHARGED WITH COWARDICE.

Chinese Admiral Makes Serious Charges Against His Officers.

Opinion of a Former Director in in the Chinese Army—War News.

London, Sept. 28.—A dispatch from Shanghai dated to-day says: The Chinese naval officers now at Port Arthur and Tientsin are squabbling among themselves as to the responsibility for the terrible Chinese losses in the naval battle off the Yalu. A court of inquiry is sitting, and has already found Captain Fong, of the warship Tsi Yuen, guilty of cowardice in the face of the enemy. He was condemned to be beheaded, and it is believed that other officers will lose their heads.

A telegram from the Kung taotai at Port Arthur, received by the commandant at Wei-Hai-Wei, positively accuses the commander of the Chen Yuen with taking flight with his vessel at the battle at the first sight of the enemy's smoke. Admiral Ting, who remains at Port Arthur, has also telegraphed to Wei-Hai-Wei, making grave charges against some of his officers. The admiral declares that "the Pink Yuen, the Kwang Ting and the Chin Chung, together with our torpedo boats were up the Yalu River when the battle commenced. There they remained until all the fighting was over. They then sneaked out and made for Port Arthur." Two of these torpedo boats are said to be still missing.

A dispatch from Simla to the Times says that the English papers there urge the rush of troops from India to Hong Kong and other treaty ports, as letters have been received reporting a dangerous anti-foreign feeling in these places.

Captain Lang, a former director in the Chinese navy and supervisor of the erection of many Chinese forts, said to-day in an interview in regard to the Chinese reverses that the inherent conservatism and apathy concerning everything outside of China and the want of esprit du corps have had their natural results. As a matter of fact the Chinese never expected to have to fight, and their supreme contempt for Japan is a predominant trait with them. Their seamen are as brave as could be wished, but they have not the slightest patriotism. Their officers are regardless of almost everything but personal advantage, and have always wanted to evade drill and remain ashore. They have hated Europeans and European ideas and are insufferably obstinate and conceited. There are admitted exceptions to this rule, however, especially in the case of Admiral Ting, who is a conspicuously brave and capable officer, whose lead could safely be followed anywhere. I cannot understand the alleged superiority of the Japanese quick firing guns. The four vessels of the Ching Yuen class were admirably equipped, and I am not disposed, in the light of the present information, to give the Japanese the credit they claim.

Captain Lang ascribed the defeat of the Chinese, if they had been defeated, to the fact of their having lapsed from their high standard of efficiency since 1890. The only Europeans now in service in the Chinese fleet, he says, are serving in subordinate capacities. In conclusion he reaffirmed his belief that the Chinese had been the victors.

The owners of the British steamer Pantheon, which was seized off the island of Formosa by a Chinese warship, have appealed to the British government to obtain the vessel's release and obtain compensation for her seizure. The owners assert that they have no news of the officers and cre wof the ship since she was seized, and express fear that they have been maltreated. They assert that they were unaware that there was anything contraband on board the ship

A dispatch to the Daily News from Yokohama says there is a general public desire in Japan to prosecute the war against the Chinese in defiance of all obstacles. The general desire is that the government make a desperate attack upon Pekin. The Japanese parliament will at once vote war credits regardless of party opinions. Reinforcements are continually departing from Yokohama, Tokio and other places in Japan, but their destination is not known.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Times says: It is rumored that Li Hung [illegible] and that he will probably have his hedquarters at Lutan. It is rumored that the Chinese troops have evacuated Corea and are massed thirty miles west of the Yalu river.

Vienna, Sept. 28.—The Neue Frie Presse publishes a report of an interview with Baron von Sterneck de Ehreustein, the chief official of the Austrian navy, who has served actively as commander of the warships Ferdinand Max and Lissa. In regard to the recent naval battle between the Chinese and Japanese fleets the baron says that the Yalu engagement, as far as can be judged, has shown that the cruisers were well able to hold their own against the large and unweildy ironclads. This fact has opened the eyes of the naval powers and induced them to give greater attention to the construction of cruisers in the future.

The Politische Correspondenz says the following information has reached St. Petersburg from China and attracts the serious attention of the government: The intense excitement in all the provinces of China and the dissatisfaction of the highest officials in the empire have reached a point which indicates a probable movement against the reigning dynasty. The [illegible] regular army is satisfactory, but the discipline has been much relaxed. The irregular troops, upon which the government must now rely, are committing great and frequent excesses everywhere, including the capital. The war chest is as empty as the state exchequer, and the government has the greatest difficulty in purchasing the barest necessities for the troops in the field.

PEARY'S EXPEDITION.

Explorers Still Contend that They Were Badly Used.

Philadelphia, Sept. 28.—The interview sent out from Washington from Mrs. Peary, in which she expressed surprise that any member of the expedition to Greenland under her husband's leadership should have found fault with the quantity or quality of the food, excited the ire of the dissatisfied members of the party and they vented their feelings somewhat freely this morning.

At first Messrs. Astrupp, Clark, Davidson and Swain were in favor of drawing up a statement to the public, giving an account of the expedition's winter in Greenland and the causes for dissatisfaction. They considered themselves relieved from their pledge to silence by Peary by Mrs. Peary giving an interview. However, after some further talk among themselves they decided to wait any further disclosures by Mrs. Peary before they laid their case before the public. Despite the decision not to make a joint statement, in conversation with some of the members of the party they could not prevent their feelings of bitterness towards Peary from giving itself utterance. One member of the party said the members of the main expedition went with Peary with the understanding that they were to remain two yers. Their experience of his methods for a single year sufficed them, and that experience accounts for their coming back on the Falcon. They found everything was red tape, and that as regards glory, their commanedr wanted to "hog it all." The lieutenant and his wife had their own quarters and every comfort obtainable, while the others had to forage for themselves.

W. T. Swain, who went out as Peary's private secretary, said: "As regards our food, here is the bill of fare: For breakfast, corn meal mush, sprinkled by Peary with sugar with a sparing hand, bacon with all the fat fried out of it, an occasional spoonful of Boston beans out of a can, coffee; lunch, boiled seal meat, tasting like stale mutton flavored with coal oil, corn bread, tea; dinner, reindeer meat, when we could get it, seal meat when we coudn't, beans occasionally, and (don't omit this) one half a slice of white bread, coffee. On Sunday evening, as a special treat, we had for dessert one can of tomatoes among the party. What Peary and his wife had we do not know. They lived apart, and no one of us was ever during the whole time invited to their quarters. Peary would order some of us to go on a 75 mile sledge journey to procure food for his dogs, and would only give us an hour's warning, when half a day could have been accorded. The hour did not suffice to dry our fur stockings, and we ran the risk of frozen feet. My toe, which lames me, was frozen in just that way, and one thing I can add: No Arctic expedition can ever succeed which takes a woman along to hamber it."

RETURN OF A WHALER.

Bad Weather Encountered in the Far North.

San Francisco, Sept. 28.—The whaling schooner Nicoline, Captain B. F. Tilton, has reached this port from Fox island, Alaska, after a passage of twenty-six days. She brought nearly fifteen thousand pounds of whalebone, bearskins, foxskins and eight hundred pounds of ivory. Captain Tilton confirms the report of the loss of the schooner Mary Schroeder. The vessel was wrecked in Marriatt's inlet, Point Hope, October 13, 1893. At the same time the schooner Silver Wave was ashore in the sand, resting easily. A fearful gale was blowing at the time and the Nicoline lost two of her anchors and considerable chain. The heavy sea washed over the point and the natives fled to the hill, fearing that they would be engulfed by the rising water. At one of the whaling stations the water was two feet deep in the houses and the boats were floating all around. It was the hardest gale that Captain Tilton ever experienced. Plenty of wreckage was picked up by the natives. In July last at Point Hope the ice was very thick, but all the vessels had passed that point by the 18th on their way north. The Andrew Hicks is reported to have caught three right whales.

In speaking of missionary work in Alaska, Captain Tilton says: "I think the government should do something for the natives of Alaska, as they are a quiet and intelligent race of people [illegible] to live like a civilized people. The missionaries should be looked after, and good men, and especially women, should go to Alaska. Men should be sent that a native would respect, not men that are filthier than the natives themselves."

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OREGON AT THE FAIR.

Extensive Preparations to Entertain Oregonians at Tacoma.

Tacoma, Wn., Sept. 28.—New features are being added every day to athe already lengthy programme for the celebration of Portland day and the other great events on October 6. Altogether there is now prepared a longer and better list of interesting features than there has been for any special day at the fair. The 6th, in addition to being Portland day, is also B. P. O. Elks day, A. O. U. W. day, Mystic Shriners' day and athletic clubs' day. Each one of these organizations will have a large and notable parade.

Assistant Director-General Gorman has just arranged for a monster fireworks display on the grounds in the evening. In large, flaming letters the words, "Welcome to Portland," will be shown during the display. For the Elks a monster elk's head will be seen, the picture being composed entirely of fireworks. Oother devices will be an enormous fez typical of the Mystic Shriners' order, and a big A. O. U. W. emblem. In addition to these, there will be many other features, including a fountain of fire, volleys of rockets, set pieces and many unique pyrotechnics never before seen in the Northwest.

Arrangements have been completed for the entertainment of the First regiment of the Oregon national guard, which will attend in a body. In the evening there will be a sham battle on the grounds between the Oregon companies and those from this city. The cyclorama building will be stormed by the forces of one body, while the other will defend the structure and pour volleys of blank cartridges into the advancing troops.

As the Portland excursions arrive they will be met at the depot by Cassase's famous California exposition band, now playing at the fair, and by reception committees appointed by the various commercial organizations of the city.

The Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Red Men, Ancient Order of Foresters of America, all the German societies, the mayor, city council, chamber of commerce, Commercial club and other organizations have invited kindred societies and officials from all the cities of the Northwest to attend on that day and do honor to the Portland visitors. One of the biggest, if not the biggest, crowds of the season is expected to be present.

The Athletic day sports are extensive and interesting in character and will be taken part in by all the well known athletes of the Northwest. In addition to the professional events there will be a lengthy programme for amateurs. It includes a running hundred yards dash; running, half mile; running, 440 yards; a hurdle race, 120 yards, five hurdles; a running high jump; a running broad jump; running hop, step and jump; standing long jump; standing high jump; putting the twelve pound shot, and a tug-of-war between the First regiment, O. N. G., and G company, First regiment, N. G. W., besides other features. The professional events are numerous, and include wrestling and boxing by Patsy Corrigan, Jimmy Whalen, George Williams, Charles Eyton, Green and other well-known Pacific coast boxers and wrestlers. There will also be a wrestling match between H. H. Trevvett, the Tacoma Athletic club champion, and Greenfield, the Multnomah Athletic club champion. Prizes are offered in all these events.

It has been a very successful week at the fair. There have been a number of special days, all of which have passed off in a highly satisfactory manner.

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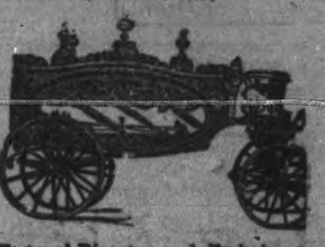

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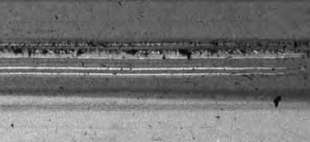

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POLITICAL HORIZON.

Hill's Action in State Politics Ruins his Chances for President.

New York, Sept. 28.—United States Senator Charles F. Manderson, of Nebraska, reached this city yesterday from Washington. He is chairman of the executive committee of the Republican congressional committee, and his committee decided two contests this week, one in North Carolina and one in South Carolina. Cheatham got the decision in the North Carolina contest and Traynor in the other. Both these districts, Senator Manderson said, would return Republican representatives.

"In all probability the Republicans will carry the next house," said he.

"How does the situation in this state strike you?"

"I do not see how the Republicans can lose. Hill's ambition to be president is likely to be his political ruin. His course at the Saratoga convention was made with an eye to the future. He had staked all on the cast of a single die. If he accepts the nomination and wins the next Democratic presidential ticket will be Hill and Stevenson. If he loses, as I think he will, the Democratic national convention will smile at his claim to the nomination. In this case I am sure he has mistaken the strength of public sentiment all over the north against Democracy. If the people elect him, it strikes me that all the hard work that has been expended by the people who want good government in New York and King's county will have been in vain. Hill will keep the old machine solid, and although he may talk about political purity he will look out for the "boys," as he has in the past, and, if I understand the situation, this means a new lease of life to Tammany hall. I don't believe Senator Hill has weighed the full significance of the recent vote in Virginia and Maine. The Republican vote was not so very much larger, but there was a shrinkage in the Democratic vote that was extraordinary. It indicated a tremendous under current against Bourbon Democracy. That under current will defeat the Democratic party in the state this fall whether Gaynor declines or not, and if he declines the Democratic ticket will be very much weakened. I look for a triumphant election of Mr. Morton and his associates."

"How about Nebraska politics?"

"The administration Democrats have bolted the free silver convention and will have a state ticket of their own. The split will greatly help the Republican cause in that state. Hundreds, yes, thousands of sound money Democrats in Nebraska, realizing the hopelessness of their struggle against the free silver Democrats and Populists combined, will vote the straight Republican ticket."

Gallipolis, Ohio, Sept. 28.—McKinley arrived here and was tendered a grand ovation. He delivered an address to the Republicans and presented them with a beautiful flag, awarded by the state executive committee to the county of King, for the largest gains at the recent election. McKinley will leave on his southwestern and western campaign tour on Sunday night. He will probably speak in ten states and may accept the Louisiana sugar planters' invitation to address them.

HAMLIN'S REPORT.

More Cutters and Officers Needed to Prevent Smuggling.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 28.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Hamlin has returned from his tour of the customs districts of the Pacific coast and a brief visit to the Pribyloff islands. He stated that the Northwestern frontier was greatly in need of a more comprehensive police system. With the limited number of revenue officials available it is comparatively easy to smuggle opium into the country, and no doubt many of the Chinese have been able to elude the officers and are now safely within our borders. Additional revenue cutters and a number of steam launches, he said, should be provided.

Two revenue cutters, he thinks, should be assigned to the duty of patrolling the Alaskan coast to prevent smuggling and to enforce the law relating to salmon fishing. It was a singular fact that many of the large canneries in Alaska employ Chinese labor almost exclusively, and some of the natives had complained of this discrimination. A special agent of the department was now looking into the salmon fisheries and would soon make a report thereon to the secretary. Mr. Hamlin visited all the Pacific coast customs districts, and stated that he had discovered no glaring frauds, but he [illegible] of the service demanded several changes, and in his opinion they would be made as soon as he could prepare his report and bring the matter to the attention of the secretary.

CORRIGAN'S POSITION.

Rumors of Changes in Catholic Church Circles.

New York, Sept. 28.—The Tribune says: "No one holding confidential relations with Archbishop Corrigan in this city would admit yesterday that official charges against him have been submitted to the authorities of the Vatican or that he was at all alarmed on account of the publication in this city of such alleged charges. The Archbishop was in Millbrook on Wednesday and at his residence in Madison avenue yesterday it was said that he was expected to return in time to attend a meeting of the vicars-general there to-day. He is expected to attend the golden jubilee at the church in Goshen on Sunday and he has a number of out of town engagements next month. On October 10th he will be in Philadelphia to attend a meeting of archbishops of the Roman Catholic church in the United States. It was intimated by some of the friends of the archbishop yesterday that he might make a journey to Rome in November but the reason for such a journey was not known, they said, and doubtless would not be disclosed by him in advance. A report that the pope has prepared an encyclical letter declaring the apostolic delegation in Washington to be independent of propaganda is believed by priests in this city. Michael Walsh, editor of the Catholic Herald, said yesterday that he heard the report several weeks ago, and that while no positive information on that subject has been obtained it would not be at all surprising if Monsignor Satolli already had the letter in his possession and intended to present it at the meeting of archbishops in Philadelphia on October 12th." The effect of such a letter would be greatly to lessen the authority of bishops in this country, as appeals in the cases of priests who have been disciplined by the bishops could be made direct to the pope's delegate. Under existing circumstances the case in dispute may be referred either to Monsignor Satolli or to the propaganda and it is known that if a priest is obliged to go to Rome and lay his case before the propaganda, he cannot hope for a settlement until there has been long delay and considerable expense. The pope's letter may compel an adjustment of all such cases at Washington and then the priest who feels aggrieved by a ruling of his bishop can make an appeal at small expense and without serious loss of time. There has been a report also that Monsignor Satolli might be called to Rome about Christmas to be made a cardinal and in that case one of the Irish archbishops may be sent to take his place as the apostolic delegate.

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WARNING TO WHEELMEN.

A Wife's Infatuation for Her Wheel Causes Trouble.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 28.—This letter has appeared in a divorce case: "My dear Matt,—You must not think too hard of your Helen for seeking other pastures and fields that are more inviting. I am a bicyclomaniac. At one time you said that you had bicyclorosis. It must have been contagious. I am infatuated, heart and soul, mind and body, with my wheel, more so, if the sad truth must be told, than I ever was with you. I could get more comfort and satisfaction from my wheel than I could derive by being tied down by your side. My wheel is young and frisky and we are more congenial companions than you and I could be. Do as you please in the matter of divorce, but you can never divorce me from my wheel. Farewell for ever.—Helen."

Acting on this leter from his wife, Mathias L. Lafrene of 3304 Pascha avenue, yesterday filed a bill for divorce in Common Pleas court No. 1.

The Lafrenes were married in Yonkers nearly five years ago and came to this city to live. Both went bicycle mad and took many excursions together. Lafrene fell ill, and his doctor said he had "bicyclorosis" and forbade him to ride any more. His wife could not resist, however, and she went on many little wheeling trips, and at last, over a year ago, took one to Altoona, from which she never returned. Instead, she sent the letter in which she told how much more she loved her wheel than her husband.

TORONTO'S BABY FARM.

Terible Condition of the Children of the "Home."

Toronto, Sept. 27.—An inquest was held last night at the police court on the body of an infant found in the baby farm on Gladstone avenue, and which died in the shelter of the Children's Aid Society a few days ago. Mrs. King, the matron of the shelter, described the condition of the child when she examined it in the matron's room at the police court. It was in a semi-comatose condition and very dirty. Its back was a festering sore covered with vermin. She thought the child was under the influence of some drug, as it slept nearly all the time. The feeding bottle, which was found in the house, strengthened this idea, as it smelt of drugs. The child was cared for at the shelter until its death. Inspector Armstrong, of police district No. 6, told of the terrible condition of the place and the children. During his evidence a juryman was moved to tears.

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The Daily Times.

"PURCHASABLE ELECTORS."

The Colonist this morning had an edifying essay on the moral obliquity displayed by the Louisiana sugar planters who have changed their allegiance from the Democratic to the Republican party because the latter gave them a bonus of two cents per pound on their sugar product and the latter substituted for this a protective duty of 40 per cent. "The bounty," says our neighbor, "has completely demoralized the great bulk of the Louisiana politicians and electors. The bribe has not only blinded them to their own true interest, but it has deprived them of their independence and their self-respect. They have shown in the most emphatic manner that their patriotism and political principles are in their pocketbooks. This is a melancholy spectacle, and shows how quickly men regarded as high-minded can become as mercenary as the greediest of ward politicians." The memories of those who read this may well be carried back to the days of 1878, when many "patriots" of the same stamp as the Louisiana planters left the ranks of the Liberal party and went over to Sir John Macdonald's side because the latter agreed to tax the rest of the community for their benefit and Mr. Mackenzie sturdily refused to do so. They were looking for a man who was willing to purchase their support by abandoning his own principles, and they found him. They were looking to their pocketbooks, which carried their principles, as in the case of the planters, and they, with a host of others, have supported the Conservative government ever since for no other motive than that which our neighbor condemns heartily in the Louisiana men. Moreover the N. P. beneficiaries have taken good care to keep their hold on the politicians who looked after the filling of their pocketbooks at the expense of the people. Sir John Macdonald narrated to the historic assemblage of Ontario manufacturers in the Red Parlor at Toronto the story of the farmer in the tree shaking off the acorns for his drove of hogs. The farmer complained of the ingratitude of the greedy animals, which would not even look up to see who their benefactor was, and Sir John significantly hinted that he hoped the manufacturers would not be so cavalier with the kind-hearted politicians who had supplied them with something better than acorns. The hint was not lost; the bonussed manufacturers contributed liberally to the Tory campaign fund. The contributions have been renewed from time to time since then, and doubtless will be continued as long as the Tory government is willing to let the contributors levy taxes on the rest of the people. The analogy between the Republicans and the sugar planters on the one hand and the Conservative party and the manufacturers on the other is quite complete. Doubtless the Colonist's readers will see that its moralizings apply to the one case as well as to the other.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The conflicting reports concerning the retirement of Treasurer Hall from the Quebec cabinet are now settled by the definite announcement that his resignation has been accepted. It is said in a Montreal dispatch that Mr. Hall retires because he differs from his colleagues in regard to certain matters of finance, but there is known to be more than that to account for the trouble. The fact is that the present Quebec cabinet, like most of its predecessors, is not a comfortable place for a man of honor and respectability. Mr. Hall goes out chiefly because he cannot abide the "boodling propensities of his colleagues.

Winnipeg Free Press: Judged by its actual results the recent tariff revision at Ottawa was just what the Liberals pronounced it to be—a delusion and a fraud. Since the new tariff took effect there has been a steady decline of foreign trade with a consequent falling off in the revenue, while the average rate of duty paid on goods imported has been higher than under the old tariff, from which the mouldering branches were to be lopped off. The returns for the past two months prove this clearly. In that time the total foreign trade was $4,500,000 less than in the same months of 1893. But of course as the underlying principle of protection (the N. P.) is to restrict foreign trade by keeping the home market for the home manufacturer, it must be admitted that the new tariff is eminently satisfactory to upholders of that policy. To show how the re-arrangement of the tariff schedules affected the consumers it is only necessary to give a few instances. The duty paid on coal oil imported in August amounted to over 90 per cent. That is the value of the oil imported was $27,630, and the duty paid was $24,836. The duty on cotton clothing was 33 per cent.; and the average on all dutiable goods was over 30 per cent. It is no wonder cabinet ministers find excuses for not coming to the Northwest after having made a tariff revision.

COFFEEISM.

Evil Effects Which May Follow Too Free Use of Coffee.

The evil effects of coffee on many constitutions are matters well known. Many a case of persistent pruritus has been made to disappear by simply interdicting the use of coffee. On the other hand, coffee taken without milk and with but little sugar, exercises the most beneficial influence in many cases of migraine, especially if a little lemon or lime juice is added to the decoction. Some weeks before his death the late Professor Charcot was in attendance upon a family composed of the father, mother and six children, who had become the victims of an uncontrollable mental irritability upon the least provocation. Hardly a meal passed at the family board without an explosion. Upon the least pretext the father became furious, the mother scolded and the children would give way to hysterical crying. The family were all hypochondriacal. The strangest part of the history consisted in the fact that domestics employed and residing in the family would soon partake of the general cachexia and join in the pandemonium.

In the middle ages this house would have been considered haunted, and somebody would have been burned, or hung and quartered as having enchanted the premises. This was the nineteenth century, however, and as demons, goblins, fairies and vampires are no longer the fact, Charcot looked upon the hygiene of the locality for a solution of the difficulties. On inquiry he found that the father was a manufacturer and dealer in coffee; the roasting, grinding and packing, as well as the manufacture of the essence and of the extract of coffee, being carried on in the lower floor of the premises. In the apartments above the odor of coffee permeated every nook; the furniture was suffering from chronic coffeeism. A few weeks' residence in the purer air of the seashore and change of habitation soon brought about a change for the better.—Pacific Medical Journal.

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THE FALL EXHIBITION

Will Be Opened Next Week—Everything Points to Its Success.

There is a vast amount of work being done at the agricultural hall and grounds whipping things into shape for the opening next week. There is still a lot of work to be done, but it will be well along toward completion when the formal opening takes place on Tuesday. This year's show is going to be a record-breaker in the history of the B. C. Agricultural Society.

The crowding of exhibits in the building has been followed by a pressure in the stables and stalls that will be hard to relieve in any way. There will be a lot of field produce here from the Mainland on Monday, and the judging in that department will be done on Tuesday. Cattle will also be judged on Tuesday. There are going to be some fine bred horses and cattle from Chilliwack and the Delta in the stalls, and there will also be some fine dairy produce, grain and vegetables from the Fraser valley. The Mainland fruit exhibit is going to be a good one.

The art department this year is in charge of Rene Quentin, the well known artist, and that gentleman promises that it will not be behind any other department of the exhibition.

The meeting last night of the representatives of the different lodges to discuss arrangements for Societies day was well attended. Dr. Lewis Hall presided, and it was decided to form at the market hall and headed by the B. C. B. G. A. band, march to the city hall up Douglas street to Yates street, along Yates to Government street, along Government street to Fort street and out the latter to the grounds. The procession will form at about 12:30 o'clock, and Captain J. D. Walker, Dr. Lewis Hall and Sergeant John Walker were made marshals. All marching in the parade will be admitted at the reduced rate of 25 cents.

The sports and games committee met last night as well. The horse racing programme presented was adopted, and R. F. Tolmie, T. Shaw and Munro Miler were appointed judges; W. K. Tulloch and A. H. Scaife, timekeepers; George Shedden, clerk of the course. The first race on Friday and Saturday will begin at 1 o'clock sharp. The time for handing in the nationality, weights and ages of the tug-of-war teams was extended to October 2. It was also decided that the time for entries be extended at the discretion of the judges and referee.

The managing committee also met last evening. It was announced that the lieut.-governor had accepted the invitation to open the exhibition. Furnival & Co. were granted permission to sell stock at auction during the show. The price of admission after 6 p.m. each day was fixed 25 cents. Thomas Barlow was made judge of horses and Mr. Stevens of beef breeds of cattle.

The secretary reported having arranged with the Wellington band for an excursion on Friday, September 5. The Bank of British Columbia was thanked for omitting to collect interest on an over draft. It was decided to prohibit any advertising on the grounds except over exhibits. The president was requested to arrange with the mayor and the president of the board of trade for the reception of the Tacoma visitors.

The agricultural association have not only made arrangements for a grand exhibit in all departments, but provision is also made by which those who desire to dine on the grounds can be provided for. A dining hall has been erected to seat two hundred people, and it is to be under the management of Henry Clay, who is well known as a first-class caterer.

—On and after Monday, 1st of October, the business office of the Times will be at the new Times building, Broad street, opposite the Driard house.

—A sealed letter, not addressed, was found near the post office to-day by a gentleman and brought to the Times office. The owner can have it by identifying it.

—An old Chinaman dropped dead on Blanchard street this morning. He had been working up to a few minutes before his death. A coroner's inquest will probably be held.

—The annual charity ball in aid of the Jubilee hospital is to be held in the A. O. U. W. hall on the 24th inst. The building association have allowed the ladies the use of the hall without charge.

—The tug Lorne was storm-bound at Astoria yesterday and will not be here until to-morrow. She could not go out over the bar, it was so rough. On arriving here she will tow the ship Eaton Hall to Tacoma.

—Patrick Cahill, a late arrival from San Francisco, was in the police court this morning, charged with vagrancy. After the hearing the case was dismissed. That was the only case on for hearing before Magistrate Macrae this morning.

—The members of the Pacific club have their house warming this evening. The club house has been refitted and is refurnished in an elegant manner and will be thrown open this evening for the first time. A number of invitations have been issued and the visitors will be given a smoking concert.

—Monday next will be polling day for the election of a school trustee in place of Mr. Yates, resigned. The candidates are Messrs. E. Lewis and J. R. Mackenzie. Mr. Beaumont Boggs, who announced himself a candidate by a card in the newspapers, is ineligible, owing to his name not having been placed on the list of voters for mayor, which is the list used in the election of school trustees.

—The sealing schooner Sadie Turpel, Captain Le Blanc, with a catch of 2000 sealskins, arrived in port yesterday afternoon, 28 days from the Copper islands. She was very lucky, not having a single accident during the entire cruise. She had light easterly winds, and was thus delayed. Captain Le Blanc says there are several schooners off the coast waiting to get in. The Turpel docked this morning and discharged her skins.

—At the request of the department of agriculture, Ottawa, Police Clerk Page is preparing a list of the arrests made by the city police for the year ending September 30. The showing, with all the Chinese and Indian cases, will be very interesting, and the per capita standing of the province will be one that will make the heart of every British Columbian swell with pride. The list is so long that it will take several weeks to prepare it.

WORD HISTORY.

The Origin of Several Common Terms Described.

Puss, the common name for cat, is a corruption of the Persian word pers, a cat.

Gossip was once a sponsor in baptism, next any elderly person, finally a talebearer.

Tories were originally bands of Irish outlaws. The Celtic word toree, means robber.

Vagabond was once a traveller going from place to place on pleasure or business.

Carbuncle means a little glowing coal, the appearance of the gem suggesting the name.

Mohair is properly Moor hair, or Angora wool, introduced into Europe by the Moors.

Bayonet was so called because it was first made at Bayonne in France. It was originally a knife stuck in the muzzle of a gun.

Sycophant was once an Athenian government official who inspected the baggage of travellers to prevent the exportation of figs.

Canoe, chocolate, hominy, maize, opossum, tomato, tomahawk and some others have come to us from various Indian languages.

Castanea gave its name to the chestnut, large groves growing near this city, which was anciently famous for its exports of this nut.

Termagant, scold, jade, hag and a few other words were formerly applied to men as to women, and their exclusive application is no compliment to masculine gallantry.

A Little Daughter

Of a Church of England minister cured of a distressing rash, by Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Mr. RICHARD BIRKS, the well-known Druggist, 207 McGill st., Montreal, P. Q., says:

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performed by Ayer's Sarsaparilla, one in particular being that of a little daughter of a Church of England minister. The child was literally covered from head to foot with a red and exceedingly troublesome rash, from which she had suffered for two or three years, in spite of the best medical treatment available. Her father was in great distress about the case, and, at my recommendation, at last began to administer Ayer's Sarsaparilla, two bottles of which effected a complete cure, much to her relief and her father's delight. I am sure, were he here to-day, he would testify in the strongest terms as to the merits of

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BRIEF LOCALS

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in Condensed Form.

—Oil stoves at McLennan & McFeely's. *

—H. M. S. Pheasant is expected from Behring Sea daily.

—Guaranteed razors and outfits at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

—Just 116 British Columbia Indians returned on the steamer Rosalie yesterday morning from the hop fields of Puget Sound.

—House cleaning is absolutely necessary; health must be considered; old things must be thrown away; new goods purchased. We can give you anything from paper to decorate your walls, carpets for your floors, to anything in the domestic line. Weiler Bros. *

—The funeral of the late John Arthur took place yesterday afternoon from St. Joseph's Hospital. Services were conducted by the Rev. Solomon Cleaver at the Metropolitan Methodist church. The pallbearers were as follows: T. G. Raynor, Henry Jewell, J. Whitfield, W. F. Archibald, R. B. Andrews and J. Dooley.

—In another column will be found an open letter from a prominent physician relating to the facts of a cure of consumption after the patient had reached the last stages of this hitherto unconquered disease. The statements made are really remarkable, and mark another advance in the progress of medical science. Our readers will find the article well worth a careful perusal.

—Mr. Adam Ross and Miss Margaret Gammell, both of Sooke, were married last evening. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. Clement of Rendall street, and Rev. Dr. Campbell officiated. Miss B. Anderson attended the bride and William Stevens supported the groom. After the ceremony the couple, with a number of friends, sat down to an excellently prepared supper. The bride and bridegroom, host and hostess were all toasted in a happy way.

—The entrance door of a dwelling has a substantial appearance when a panel of beveled glass is inserted. The Vestibule door is exceedingly handsome when composed of polished bevel glass of ornamental design. Delicate tints of muffled glass, with cut glass jewels, are frequently set to excellent effect in conjunction with beveled plate for the upper portions of the Drawing room and Dining room windows, also for numerous other locations. McCausland & Son, King street W., Toronto, are the principal workers in such specialties.

—The stomach of man is subject to a dozen such common but painful affections as cramps, cholera morbus, cholera, diarrhoea and dysentery, and by neglect any may be made chronic and dangerous. All are more or less painful; and the hadiest, surest and quickest remedy is PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER, a medicine which has been tried in all quarters of the world for more than a quarter of a century and never failed to give relief. It is sold by all reputable druggists. Large bottles new size 25c. each.

—Before last night's gathering of the Sir William Wallace Society E. J. Eyres delivered a very interesting lecture upon photography. In opening he traced the history of the art and then described the different processes by which the pictures were made. The lecturer answered a number of questions and frequently throughout the lecture was applauded. At the close he received a hearty vote of thanks. W. Anderson danced the sailor's hornpipe and after Rev. Rogers had made a few remarks the meeting adjourned.

—At a meeting held last night in Adelphi Hall a Conservative Association was organized. Senator Macdonald occupied the chair and A. Stewart Potts acted as secretary. Speeches were delivered by Mr. Thomas Earle, Col. Prior and Hon. Theodore Davie. The following committee was appointed to draft a constitution for the association: Messrs. A. C. Flumerfelt, E. A. Lewis, A. L. Belyea, H. Stephenson and G. H. Barnard. Messrs. G. H. Barnard, S. D. Schultz and H. E. A. Robertson will act in conjunction with Messrs. Prior and Earle to secure the registration of voters. A membership roll will be opened and at the next meeting organisation will be perfected.

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—Double width black cashmere, three yards for one dollar at Partridge's, Lanwsdowne House, 86 Yates street. *

—Special facilities for making blank books and doing extra calf and other superior binding at R. T. Williams, 28 Broad street.

—A large audience enjoyed a really good entertainment at the Victoria theatre last evening, when Miss Pauline Johnson, the Indian poetess, and George Smiley made their first appearance in the west. Miss Johnson's recitals were much enjoyed as were also Mr. Smiley's. Both were frequently applauded and on several occasions responded to encores. All of the numbers were good, the programme being well arranged. They appear at the theatre again this evening.

—R. S. Pearce, of the United States Express Company, has been in the city for a few days past. In the last few months several of the company's trusted employees at points principally in the middle states have decamped, taking various sums of money, and it was believed that at least one of them was in British Columbia. To look into the matter is believed to have been the object of Mr. Pearce's visit to the city. He left for the Sound last evening, but will very likely be back again before going east. It is said that he was unsuccessful in locating his man.

—There is going to be a Dominion election before very long, and when the red hot local campaign is inaugurated the voter who has not registered will want to kick himself. By the grace of Sir John Thompson the would-be voter only got until Oct. 15 to get on the list. To make the thing easy for those who work all day the Times office, Yates street, will be open from 7 to 9 o'clock this evening, and George E. Powell, notary, will be on hand to acknowledge declarations. Drop in and have the matter attended to. Those who live at Spring Ridge can register at Sherk's store to-night at 8 o'clock. Archer Martin will be present to attest the signatures. Anyone in doubt about being on the list should register.

—H. M. S. Champion arrived in Esquimalt last night from the Hawaiian Islands after an absence of nine months from Esquimalt. After being relieved at Honolulu by H. M. S. Hyacinth the Champion proceeded to Neckar Island and made some soundings with a view to ascertain its adaptability as a landing place for the cable. It is said that the report as to that will be unfavorable. The island is a barren place of 130 acres area without a single safe landing place for vessels. The Chamion on the way up from the islands was driven ahead of a gale for three days and made quick passage. All was quiet at Honolulu when the Champion left, and nearly all the warships had departed. The Japanese warship left for home before the war opened. Her officers are described as a capital lot of fellows and very good officers.

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LETTER FROM A THIEF.

The Writer Gives His Reasons for Robbing the Victoria Dry Goods House.

The mysterious robbery of the till at the Victoria dry goods house on Thursday evening has developed another peculiar phase. This morning's mail brought the following letter to G. A. Richardson, the proprietor:

"September 28, '94.

"Sir,—The other night I was tempted to rob your store, and I am sorry to say I yielded to the temptation. How I managed to gain an entrance was that you left the door undone. I am going away on the boat to-night, so I have made this confession. Will you please look on my taking the money as a loan, as I am determined to pay it back some time.

"Yours,

"G.M."

On the back of the letter was added the following: "If you wish to answer address G. M., Post Office, Vancouver." The letter was printed, not written, and a lead pencil was used. Chief Sheppard, to whom the letter was handed, says that while the letter may be genuine that the proposal of the thief to have a letter sent to him to Vancouver is a very silly bluff. The rob- [illegible] ardson closed the store to go to dinner, and in his absence $20 was stolen from the till. He does not remember whether he locked the store or not.

PERSONAL.

George D. Tite arrived from Kamloops yesterday.

Miss Van Valkenburgh left for Tacoma last night.

Hon. Senator McInnes returned last evening from Vancouver.

F. Soues, of Clinton, came over from Vancouver last evening.

E. A. Cushing, western manager for the Standard Oil company, is at the Driard.

Hon. Mr. Justice and Mrs. Crease returned last evening from the mainland.

John Earsman and wife left last evening for Tacoma to visit the Interstate fair.

Captain McLeod and wife left for the east last night over the Northern Pacific.

Bishop Perrin left this morning for Vancouver to hold ordination services at St. James' church.

Mr. Simpson, second assistant teacher at the Victoria Collegiate Institute, leaves for San Francisco to-morrow to attend to the publication of a book. During his absence his position will be filled by J. N. Muir.

J. D. Gordon, of Salmon Arm, is in the city on business in connection with the fair. While here he will present to the government a petition from the residents of Salmon Arm asking that a school be established in that settlement.

Seal Teeth!

Jewellery of all kinds in fine gold and beautifully finished is what Pennock & Lowe, the Jewellers, are making a speciality of just now. 63 Government St., next Spencer's Arcade.

CAPITALISTS ARE PLEASED.

Messrs. Mann and Holt, the Montreal Capitalists, Return From Cariboo.

Brilliant Future Predicted for the Good Old Mining District.

D. D. Mann and T. G. Holt, the Montreal capitalists who came to the coast with a view of forming a company to develop the Victoria Hydraulic Mining Company's claim at Forks of Quesnelle, returned to the city last evening. They spent several days at the mine with their experts from San Francisco, the latter going south by way of Portland and Seattle. The Victoria Company's claim adjoins the Hobson claims, which have been worked with so much success this year, two valuable bars from the mine being shipped to San Francisco a few weeks ago.

In conversation with a Times representative this morning, Mr. Mann expressed himself as being very much pleased with Cariboo and the mines which he saw. The experts, he said, were also very much pleased. "I believe," said Mr. Mann, "that there will be more gold taken out of Cariboo during the next thirty years than has been taken out in the past. The Hobson claims, which adjoin the Victoria claim are very rich and should pay big dividends. That proposition is no longer a gamble; it is a certainty. There is no reason why the Victoria claim should not be as good, but it has not been developed and you cannot see through a mountain. We will decide on what we will do before leaving for the east.

"What Cariboo wants is a railway. It takes a man a long time to look into property in that country, and it discourages a capitalist when he sees the hardships and disadvantages that he has to work against. The road would not be an expensive one for a mountain road, and in five years the value of property created, in the way of mines and ranches, would be equal to the cost of the road and a valuable asset for the province."

Mr. Mann will shortly visit the Kootenay district, where he has some mining interests, Mr. Holt remaining in Victoria for several days, or until some decision is arrived at respecting the proposed purchase of the Victoria Company's claim.

The Lady Who Shops

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L (5 lots)........	5095	22,927 50
Empress........	1105	4,962 50
Globe Brand........	5399	24,295 50
F (6 lots)........	5825	26,212 50
Inverness (2 lots)........	2016	9,072 00
I (2 lots........	2347	10,561 50
Inverness S........	437	1,966 50
Balmoral (3 lots)........	3673	16,528 50
B (2 lots........	2060	9,270 00
Balmoral S........	858	3,861 00
F........	1000	4,500 00
BY R. P. RITHET & CO., LTD.		
P. S. & Co.—H (2 lots........	2000	8,000 00
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This department we are going to give up, as we need the room for our millinery department, now in charge of Miss F. J. Duffie, late of the Stanley House, so if you are looking for a mantle remember that you can save dollars by buying at Partridge's, Lansdowne House, 86 Yates street. *

Brief Locals.

—The anniversary social at St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, under the direction of the ladies' aid, will be held in the church on Monday evening next. A good programme, with refreshments, will be provided.

—Grand Masquerade Social at Harmony hall, given by the Fern club, on Monday, October 1st. Maskers must be identified before they enter the hall. Gentlemen, 50 cents; ladies, masked, free; lady spectators, 25 cents. Grand march at 9 p.m. sharp.

Smoke Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco. Made only by D. Ritchie & Co., the only organized "Union" Plug Tobacco Factory in Canada.

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Ladies' Cloth Jackets, braid trimmed reduced to - -	3 00
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TO THE ELECTORS.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: At the request of a number of voters of this city, I beg to announce myself as a candidate for School Trustee at the coming election.

J. R. McKENZIE.

ELECTORS OF VICTORIA

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: I am a candidate for School Trustee at the coming election. Your support solicited.

sep22-1w EDWARD A. LEWIS.

DOMINION VOTERS

REGISTER! REGISTER!

The Victoria Liberal Association has made arrangements for the registration of voters at the office of ARCHER MARTIN, Esq., Barrister at Law, 82 Government street [illegible] Fraser's Real Estate office, Trounce avenue, and at the TIMES OFFICE, where forms of application will be supplied and full information.

AN OPEN LETTER

FROM A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN

A Remarkable Cure of Consumption In Its Last Stages—Is This Once Dread Disease Conquered?—Important Facts to all Suffering From Diseased or Weak Lungs.

Elmwood, Ont., Aug. 21st, 1894.

Dear Sirs,—I wish to call your attention to a remarkable cure of consumption. In March, 1893, I was called in my professional capacity to see Miss Christina Koester, of North Brant, who was then suffering from an attack of inflammation of the left lung. The attack was a severe one, the use of the lung being entirely gone from the effects of the disease. I treated her for two weeks, when recovery seemed assured. I afterwards heard from her at intervals that the progress of recovery was satisfactory. The case then passed from my notice until June, when I was again called to see her, her friend thinking she had gone into consumption. On visiting her I found their suspicions too well founded. From robust health she had wasted to a mere skeleton, scarcely able to walk across the room. She was suffering from an intense cough and expectoration of putrid matter, in fact about a pint each night. There was a burning hectic fever, with chills daily. [illegible] ination of the previously diseased lung showed that its function was entirely gone and that in all probability it was entirely destroyed. Still having hopes that the trouble was due to a collection of water around the lung, I asked for a consultation, and the following day with a prominent physician of a neighboring town again made a careful examination. Every symptom and physical sign indicated the onset of rapid consumption and the breaking down of the lungs. Death seemed certainly but a short time distant. A [illegible] experience had taught me the uselessness of the ordinary remedies used for this dread and fatal disease, and no hope was to be looked for in this direction. I had frequently read the testimonials in favor of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in wasting diseases, but not knowing their composition hesitated to use them. Finally, however, I decided to give them a trial, and I am free to say that I only used them at a stage when absolutely nothing else that I knew of could save the patient's life. The test was a most severe one, and I must also admit an unfair one, as the patient was so far gone as to make all hopes of recovery seem impossible. A very short time, however, convinced me of the value of Pink Pills. Although only using an ordinary soothing cough mixture along with the pills, within a week the symptoms had abated so much that it was no longer necessary for me to make daily calls. Recovery was so rapid that within a month Miss Koester was able to drive to my office, a distance of about six miles, and was feeling reasonably well, except for weakness. The expectoration had ceased, the cough was gone and the breathing in the diseased lung was being restored. The use of the Pink Pills was continued until the end of October, when she ceased to take the medicine, being in perfect health. I still watched her case with deep interest, but almost a year has now passed and not a trace of her illness remains. In fact, she is as well as ever she was and no one would suspect that she had ever been ailing, to say nothing of having been in the clutches of such a deadly disease as consumption. Her recovery through the use of Pink Pills after having reached a stage when other remedies were of no avail is so remarkable that I feel myself justified in giving the facts to the public, and I regret that the composition of the pills is not known to the medical profession at large in order that their merit might be tested in many more diseases and their usefulness be thus extended. I intend giving them an extended trial in the case of consumption, believing from their action in this case (so well marked) that they will prove a curative in all cases where a cure is possible—I mean before the lungs are entirely destroyed.

Yours truly,
J. EVANS, M.D.

The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

SUPERSTITIONS DIE HARD.

And Protection is About the Most Senseless of the Lot.

An interesting dispatch from Canton, China, was printed in the newspapers a few days ago. It told of a novel way the Chinese had taken to check the black plague, which was killing thousands every day. A fortune-teller having given out that the plague would die away [illegible] the people of Canton, in order to deceive the gods of sickness, made the first day of the fourth moon, May 5th, their New Year's day. Every ceremony by which the day is celebrated was performed with scrupulous exactness. The local authorities assisted in this farcical performance and the New Year festivities in the presence of such widespread death, took on a somewhat ghastly character. Processions of people affecting holiday merriment marched through the streets, gongs were beaten, fire-crackers were set off, and idols were exposed in public places. The spectacle must have been grim and sickening, but the idea was funny—the idea of trying to mix up a yellow, slant-eyed joss in his dates. In fact, pretty nearly everything a Chinaman does is apt to be funny to us Americans, who are a level-headed people of advanced civilization, and, of course, far superior to so childish a superstition. We would never think of trying to keep out cholera by springing a fake almanac on the cholera god. But we have superstitions of our own, quite as grotesque and as baseless, and we cling as blindly and tenaciously to them as do the simple-[illegible].

Just at present we are in the midst of a fight against one of the most baneful superstitions that ever befogged a nation. We advance the theory in all seriousness that the hold which the doctrine of protection has had upon its believers has been the hold of a simple superstition, and that this hold has been loosened year by year, just in ratio that those believers have become generally enlightened. It is not so many years since a man of unorthodox religious views found it wise to keep a close watch on his tongue if he valued his freedom. But we have progressed. This change is wholly due to the decay of superstition. The same change is taking place in the political sentiment of the country, and the same cause is producing it. Most of us can remember when a graceful and effective way of insulting a man was to call him a free trader. And today it is no trick at all to find men who admit, yes, and claim to be free traders. It is a little reformation all by itself.

It is a pretty hard job to effectually expose a fraud, especially a fraud that has elements of plausibility to win the shallow and possibilities of money profit to win the unscrupulous. It is almost a hopeless task, for instance, to convince a spiritualist that he does not see and converse with a wraith of a dear dead one. Certainly you cannot do it by reasoning with him. Lacking ocular proof of the fraud, he goes on year after year, dropping coin into the lap of the medium who has secured a local agency from the spirit land. But sometimes the fraud can be exposed to him, especially if he is only a half-way spiritualist. He is present at a seance where a strong-armed skeptic seizes the dear dead one, turns on the light, and reveals the tearful and indignant medium in his grasp. Then the spiritualist curiously examines the cabinet and its ingenious appliances, and, perhaps, secures the refund of his $2. And, in some cases, he isn't anything of a spiritualist after that. Protection has been exposed in a similar way in Washington. All the people were present, and many of them must have had their eyes open by the expose. Never before in the whole history of the tariff fight have the fallacies of protection been so pitilessly bared. The lights were turned on and the mediums were caught at their work of deception. It has clearly been shown that to be "protected" means simply that you pay a considerable part of your earnings into the hands of your "protectors." You buy for a high price what you could buy for a low price if you were not protected. That is the long and short of it, as the people have come to understand it. There is still a fight to be made, for superstitions die hard. For a few more years the trusts will draw their millions from the pockets of the people. For a few more years we must be content to remain in the pathetic attitude of the Chinese, seeking to ward off evil fortune by appeasing the trust god of gold and silver. But the present session of congress has dealt protection its death blow by exposing its rottenness to the people. The people have had an object lesson; it has taught them more of the true inwardness of protection in six months than the political economist of the earth could have taught them in twenty years. When they began the lesson they wanted the tariff reduced. They have learned now that reduction is only partial reform; that complete reform means the abolition of the tariff. That is the reason free traders are plentiful these days.—Puck.

THE INDIAN AND THE CANOE.

A Well Finished "Peterboro" a Revelation to the Red Man.

The Indian's estimation of the white man is gauged altogether by what he sees, says a western exchange in an interview with Mr. Malterner, who has been exploring the region bordering the Great Slave lake. In June last Mr. Malterner arrived at Fort Resolution on the Great Slave lake, in his excellent canoe, which, by-the-bye was "Peterboro'" riveted bottom, a type of the finest canoe made in the world. The following narrative will be appreciated as descriptive of Indian astonishment: The Indians were returning to the fort from their winter's hunt in their little birch bark canoes, laden with furs, and as they approached the fort in single file, a crack from the guns in the foremost canoe, followed by the Indians of the succeeding canoes, announced their approach. Fully forty canoes came in at intervals of a few minutes apart and on the following day as many more came in until the fort was crowded with over a hundred of them. Crees, Dogribs, Chipwyans from the Buffalo river, Hay river and Yellow knife districts were there, and a representative crowd they were too. Mr. Malterner's crew seemed to be the attraction to all of them. Anything that the Indian knows something about and can use, always is; but this canoe, on account of its beauty and workmanship caused them to utter many strange ejaculations of astonishment. The steamboat they had always seen [illegible] machinery is altogether beyond their power of understanding, and what they don't understand they don't appreciate as being clever; but here was a canoe, built upon precisely the same principle as their own, yet so much superior. Mr. Malterner hoisted up the sail and the little skiff spun over the water sailing as straight as an arrow. That was not much of a surprise; but when it tacked and came back over the same course as it had gone, that set their minds wandering. They had never seen such a feat before. One old Indian whose expressions of surprise were more loud than the rest, on its return said to a young brave near by, "What do you think to that," to which he replied in language, which being translated meant, "Indian think white man big fool. White man no build canoe like Indian can. Bye-the-bye white man come along with a canoe that no Indian can build," and their opinion of the white man went high up in their estimation, both old and young.

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WON'T BUY BEANS.

Coffee Drinkers Prefer their own Drink to a Pseudo One.

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BROKEN ENGAGEMENTS.

An English Country Parson Recalls Some Instructive Instances.

The columns of the Morning Post frequently contain notices of which the following may be considered a fair type: "The marriage between Sir Carnaby Jenks and Lady Sophia Fitz Tudor will not take place." It may be taken for granted that in most cases a valid reason for the shattering of the romance exists; but what are we to say of the young lady who broke off her engagement because her lover insisted on parting his hair in the middle; or of the lover who, a few weeks ago, discarded his inamorita because she adopted the so-called "rational dress" when cycling? Both cases have occurred within my own experience.

A few months ago a very smart society girl refused her somewhat countrified lover at the altar because he turned up for the occasion in badly fitting clothes! It must be admitted that the young fellow compared very unfavorably with the dashing cavalry captain who was his best man, nor was the attractiveness of his appearance enhanced by a brilliantly red necktie, which had managed to get loose above his collar. I fancy, however, that the young lady had no great regard for her country squire. She has since married the gallant captain.

A fortune hunting young barrister of my acquaintance sneaked out of his engagement in the shabbiest manner possible when he discovered that his fiance's money was invested in gold mine shares that were at the time going down in value very rapidly. Since then the shares have gone up in the most satisfactory manner, and, while the young lady is richer than ever, my learned friend is haunting petty sessions in a vain endeavor to earn a "living wage."

Nothing is so hostile to romance as ridicule. This truth was strikingly illustrated in the case of a college friend of my own. He was a good looking young fellow, but had, unfortunately, been gifted by nature with a large and red pair of ears, which stood out from his head in a distressing fashion. His sweetheart's young brothers chaffed her unmercifully about this peculiarity of her lover. They compared his ears to Chinese fans and talked up some preposterous story of one of the old African travellers about an African race whose ears were so large that they used to wrap themselves up in them during inclement weather. They insinuated that their sister's lover was the sole surviving remnant of that race. Absurd as it may seem, their foolish talk resulted in a broken engagement.

Some years ago I was acting as curate in a large London parish. Two young people in whom I was greatly interested were to be married on a certain Wednesday in April. Contrary to custom, the bride arrived before the bridegroom—indeed, the bridegroom never arrived at all! It subsequently transpired that the bridegroom had disappeared the previous evening and was nowhere to be found. He has not been found to this day. No cause for his disappearance was ever assigned, nor has any clue as to his whereabouts ever been discovered. The poor young bride succumbed to the shock, and it was my melancholy duty to officiate at her burial a few weeks later.

One more case and I have done. A curate in receipt of a little more than a hundred pounds a year proposed to the daughter of a wealthy north country manufacturer and was accepted. Paterfamilias was extremely angry at this and forbade the young fellow his house. Candor compels me to state that the daughter offered very little resistance to her father's objections, and the curate, who was genuinely fond of the girl, removed to a distant parish.

Two months after the event he fell into a baronetcy and rather more than three thousand pounds a year. The manufacturer saw that he had made a mistake and opened up negotiations by letter. By return he received a telegram with the laconic intimation: "Too late." We may be certain that the good manufacturer's wife gave him a large "piece of her mind," as the saying goes.—Answers.

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TIME TABLE NO. 24,
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De.	8:00 A M	De.	3:00 P M		VICTORIA	Ar.	12:24 P M	Ar.	8:00 P M	78
"	8:04	"	3:06	1	RUSSELL'S	"	12:20	"	7:56	77
"	8:14	"	3:16	4	ESQUIMALT	"	12:10	"	7:38	74
"	8:39	"	3:36	11	GOLDSTREAM	"	11:45 A M	"	7:09	67
"	9:16	"	4:05	20	SUMMIT SIDING	"	11:10	"	6:50	58
"	9:34	"	4:27	25	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	"	10:50	"	6:37	53
"	9:44	"	4:37	31	COBBLE HILL	"	10:40	"	6:27	47
"	9:57	"	4:49	[illegible]	McPHERSON'S	"	10:27	"	6:15	[illegible]
"	10:07		4:59	[illegible]	KOKSILAH	"	10:17	"	6:05	[illegible]
"	10:12		[illegible]:04	[illegible]	DUNCAN'S		10:12		6:00	[illegible]
"	10:22		5:11	[illegible]	SOMENOS		10:02	"	5:52	[illegible]
"	10:48		5:32	[illegible]	CHEMAINUS		9:38	"	5:35	[illegible]
"	11:08		5:49	59	OYSTER BAY SIDING		9:15		5:15	19
Ar.	11:30		6:23	73	NANAIMO	De	8:34	"	[illegible]:45	
De.	11:39					Ar	8:25			
Ar.	12:14 P M	Ar.		78	WELLINGTON	De	8:10	De.	4:30	

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Against an architectural back ground and in front of the central pediment is a life size standing figure of the lamented pastor in the act of addressing an audience; his right hand rests upon the back of a chair, and his left hand is raised in the manner so familiar to all who knew him. At his feet on either side are groups of orphan children. To the right and left are two panels in high relief—that on the left portraying Mr. Spurgeon lecturing to the students of the pastor's college, while in the other he is represented seated in the grounds of the orphanage and talking to the children.

The architectural part of the memorial has several subsidiary enrichments. On the pilasters the sword, trowel and wheat clearly allude to the eloquent teacher's work and fruitfulness; in four small panels near the top is represented the parable of the sower, and at the summit are modeled in the ornament of the capitals a pretty little story of bird life. The general effect appeals strongly to the imagination, and vividly reminds all who see it of him whose anecdotes, tropes, figures and homely proverbs so long swayed the multitudes in the Tabernacle.

The hall mainly consists of red brick and pitch pine lumber, and is intended [illegible] 1900 persons. It will be of great service for public meetings, and for the permanent display of the reformation pictures collected by Mr. Spurgeon. The total cost of the building, including the memorial, has been about $25,000. The balance of the memorial fund, which amounted to over $50,000, has been allotted to the various other institutions founded by the dead pastor. The simple inscription on the memorial is: "This hall and monument erected in loving memory of Charles Haddon Spurgeon."—London Telegraph.

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Method of Constructing Douglas Street Sewer to be Left in Their Hands.

Mr. Raymur Appointed Water Commissioner—Suspect Station to be Destroyed.

A special meeting of the city council was held last evening, the mayor in the chair and all the aldermen present. The mayor ruled that the report of the sewerage committee respecting the extension of Douglas street sewer must stand, as no motion had been given of the subsequent motions rescinding that report.

Ald. Ledingham moved that the city barristers be asked to give an opinion as to whether the sewer could be constructed by day labor under the sewerage loan by-law. After a long discussion, in which it was shown that the majority of council were opposed to it, Ald. Ledingham withdrew his motion. The same alderman then moved that the work be done by day labor. Ald. Munn moved in amendment that no such action be taken until the council were requested by the commissioners to do so. The amendment was carried.

Mayor Teague intimated to the council that the citizens of Tacoma would arrive on Tuesday evening and spend Wednesday at the fair. The council should be on hand to meet them.

The mayor also stated that some action would be taken to tender a reception to the governor-general upon his arrival here.

Sanitary Officer Conlin reported that there were nine lepers on Darcy Island, one from Vancouver, one from Nanaimo, one sent by the provincial government and six from Victoria. There was only accommodation for seven. One was occupying the storeroom and another the woodshed. He recommended the immediate erection of a new building, and that the corporation of Nanaimo and the government be requested to pay their share of the cost. The medical authorities had recommended that the latest arrival be isolated from the other patients for at least three months. This could not be done at present. Referred to the mayor with power to act.

The mayor and aldermen accepted an invitation to be present at the opening of the exhibition on Tuesday.

Belyea & Gregory, for A. G. Lindle, claimed damages from the city for injuries received by loose planks. He would accept $150. Received and filed.

Mayor Teague asked what action the council wished to take respecting the application of an old man named Barry for admission to the Home. His family said they were able to take care of him, while the old man said he was not properly attended to. Referred to the Old Men's Home committee.

The sewerage committee recommended that the balance due to Harrison & Walkley for the extension of the sewer on McClure street, amounting to $177.50, be paid out of the sewerage fund of 1894.

The report of the committee was adopted.

The street committee recommended that the offer of Messrs. Turner and Pearse to give the city ten feet of land along Cadboro Bay road, be accepted. Adopted.

The electric light committee reported that the lowest tenderers for digging post holes were Coughlan & Mayo, but a certified check was not enclosed. Ald. Munn explained that the copy of the specifications on which Coughlan & Mayo had figured did not specify this. The report was received and the committee was authorized to award the contract to the lowest tenderer who had complied with the specifications. The time for completing the work was extended to October 10 and the contract was awarded to Mr. Nelson.

Ald. Humphreys moved, seconded by Ald. Dwyer, that Mr. J. L. Raymur be appointed water commissioner at $130 per month, including his present salary. It was moved in amendment that the motion dismissing Mr. Wilmot be rescinded. Ald. Munn, Harris and Styles voted for the amendment, and all the others voted against it. The motion was adopted with the addition that Mr. Wilmot be known as the city and water works engineer without any reduction in salary.

This being all the business for the council it resolved itself into committee of the health board. Ald. Wilson moved that the old suspect station buildings be destroyed, there being sufficient room at the isolation hospital for usual cases, and the caretaker be notified that his services will not be further required. The motion was adopted.

The meeting adjourned at 9:55.

EPIDEMIC OF YELLOW FEVER.

The American Consul in San Salvador a Victim.

San Francisco, Sept. 28.—Private advices from Salvador state that an epidemic of yellow fever is raging throughout the republic and the mortality is very great. All ports but Acajutla have been closed. The disease is particularly fatal to foreigners, taking them off inside of twenty-four hours. American Consul Pollock was one of the first victims of the disease and his death was followed shortly by that of Mrs. Crawford, a well-known lady of Oakland Cal.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla does what no other blood medicine in existence can do. It searches out all the impurities in the system and expels them harmlessly through the proper channels. This is why Ayer's Sarsaparilla is so preeminently effective as a remedy for rheumatism.

To Nursing Mothers !

A leading Ottawa Doctor writes:

"During Lactation, when the strength of the mother is deficient, or the secretion of milk scanty,

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gives most gratifying results." It also improves the quality of the milk.

**It is largely prescribed
To Assist Digestion,
To Improve the Appetite,
To Act as a Food for Consumptives,
In Nervous Exhaustion, and as a Valuable Tonic.**

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Looking for Help

Longing for Release From the Bondage of Suffering.

Thousands Must Die if Paine's Celery Compound is Not Used.

IT CURES THE WORST CASES.

Mr. George J. Smye Had Kidney and Liver Troubles and Indigestion.

HIS CONDITION WAS ALARMING.

The Great Medicine Made Him Well and Strong.

He Says; I am a Living Witness to the Worth of Paine's Celery Compound.

Although Providence has given to us and our children a glorious heritage—a land of plenty and peace; this fruitful Dominion—yet there are thousands looking and longing for help and release from bodily sufferings and infirmities.

The people who are calling for help and rescue from peril, have tested medical skill and the boasted virtue of numerous patents, but no relief or cure has come to them. They must perish—die—if their various troubles are not met by some honest and scientific remedy.

Amongst the suffering thousands we find those burdened with liver and kidney complaints, heart disease, dyspepsia, indigestion, rheumatism, neuralgia, nervousness, sleeplessness and a score of other ailments.

Let all such take courage; thousands who have suffered in the past have been made well and sound by Paine's Celery Compound. This wonderful king of medicines has grappled with the most difficult of cases—cases that were pronounced incurable by the doctors.

These honest facts should be sufficient warning and encouragement to those who seek a cure. Experience and severe test work has proven that Paine's Celery Compound alone can do the desired work effectually and well.

"I am a living witness to the worth of Paine's Celery Compound." These are the words of Mr. George J. Smye, of Sheffield, Ont., a man respected and well known in his district. He suffered for years from indigestion and kidney and liver troubles. He had a most trying and disappointing experience with a host of medicines that did not even relieve him. Oh! blessed change, happy experience when Paine's Celery Compound was used. He is now a well man and able to work on his farm every day. The same blessed results may be yours, sufferer, if you use the same curing and life-giving medicine.

Mr. Smye writes as follows:—

"It is with great pleasure that I testify to the value of your great medicine, Paine's Celery compound. For nearly two years I suffered from indigestion, kidney and liver troubles. After trying several medicines that did not effect a cure, I decided to try your Compound. Before using it I was so low in health that I could not eat or sleep. I could not lie in bed owing to pain in my back; it was only by resting on elbows and knees I was enabled to gain a slight degree of ease. Before I had fully taken one bottle of your medicine I began to improve. I have now taken in all 14 bottles with grand results. I am a farmer and am now working every day. Anyone may refer to me regarding these statements, or to any of my neighbors around Sheffield, where I am well known. I am a living witness to the worth of Paine's Celery Compound."

Mr. R. Ferrah, the popular druggist of Galt, Ont., vouches for the above statements made by Mr. Smye.

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

NOTICE

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Co'y.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of this company will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the third day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Victoria, September 1st, 1894.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.

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NOTICE

The Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the third day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Victoria, September 1st, 1894.

CHAS E. POOLEY,
Secretary.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

Under instructions from Alexander Urquhart, executor of Donald Urquhart deceased, the mortgagee, and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage bearing date the 7th day of April, 1892, and made between John Leonard of Victoria city, B. C., of the one part and Donald Urquhart of Victoria city aforesaid of the other part, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on Friday, the 12th day of October, for the purchase of all that and those pieces or parcels of land situate in Victoria city known as sub-lots numbers (23) twenty-three, (24) twenty-four, (29) twenty-nine and (30) thirty, being a subdivision of section (24) twenty-four, according to a plan of sub-division of sections 24, 25, 26, and 27, Spring Ridge, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, numbered 360 and the dwelling house and buildings thereon. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated the 11th day of September, 1894.

S. PERRY MILLS,
46 Langley Street, Victoria, B. C.
Solicitor for Alexander Urquhart, executor of D. Urquhart, deceased.

s11-1m

Queen City Building Loan and Saving Association.

The fourth annual general meeting of the shareholders of the above association will be held in the Sir William Wallace Society's Hall, Broad street, on Saturday, the 29th September, 1894, at 8 p.m.

BUSINESS:

To receive the report of the Board of Directors and the statement of the Secretary; to elect officers for the ensuing year and the dispatch of such other business as may come before the meeting. By order.

B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.

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BUSINESS CHANCE.

W. G. PRICE, Esq., late steward of the Union Club of this city, having purchased an undivided half interest in the saloon of the London Hotel is hereby acknowledged to be a full partner in said business from and after this date.

CALIFORNIA WINE CO., Ltd.,
C. L. Jackson, Manager.

N.B.—Mr. Price will feel pleased to see his old friends in his new garb at the corner of Johnson and Broad streets.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 10th, 1894.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors' Trust Deeds Act and amending Acts, notice is hereby given that by indenture dated and executed on the 28th day of September, 1894, by George L. Simpson, of 94 Douglas street, in the city of Victoria, merchant, the said George L. Simpson granted and assigned his real and personal property to W. H. Bone, of 69 Government street, in the said city of Victoria, bookseller and stationer, in trust for the creditors of the said George L. Simpson. W. H. Bone executed the deed and accepted the trust thereby created on the 28th day of September, 1894. All persons indebted to the said George L. Simpson are requested to pay such indebtedness forthwith to the said trustee, and any person having any claim against the said George L. Simpson must send proof and full particulars of the same to the said trustee within one month from this date, after which the said trustee will distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to the claims so sent in. A meeting of the creditors will be held on Thursday, the 4th day of October, at 2:30 p.m., at the office of the undersigned. W. H. Bone, of Hibben & Co., Assignee, 69 Government street.

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GREY BLANKETS...	$2.00 a pair
BED COMFORTERS...	75 cents each
WHITE QUILTS...	90 cents each
42-INCH DRESS SERGES...	25 cents a yard
DRESS LINING...	three yards for 25 cents
FLANNELETTES...	15 yards for $1.00
CANTON FLANNEL...	14 yards for $1.00
CRASH TOWELING...	Pure linen, 12 yards for $1.00

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83 DOUGLAS STREET.

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MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

TO OWNERS OF REAL PROPERTY.

Tax notices have this day been posted to all parties assessed for Real Property in the City of Victoria. If not delivered at residence, please call at postoffice for same.

CHAS. KENT,
City Collector's Office, Collector.
City Hall, August 28, 1894. aug29-1m

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Government Street, between Fort and Yates, and Yates Street between Government and Broad, are closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, B. C., August 27th, 1894.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of Consumers of Water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to sections 12 and 20 of the "Waterworks Regulation By-law, 1894," which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Waterworks shall use such water for irrigating, except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In North Ward, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In Central Ward, on Tuesdays and Fridays, and

In South Ward, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore specified there shall be charged fifty cents additional for each infraction.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 15th, 1894.

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NANAIMO'S BIG BLAZE.

Conservative Estimate After the Fire Does Not Reduce the Loss Any.

No More Bodies Found in the Debris—Condition of the Injured.

Nanaimo, Sept. 29.—Now that the excitement of yesterday has somewhat calmed down the merchants see cause to congratulate themselves that the fire was not more appalling. The cinders flew in every direction but fortunately the rain that fell previously had so soaked the roofs that it protected them. Had the fire occurred a week before there would have been no saving the city. As it was an abundance of blankets had to be hung on Hirst's store also two other stores as the heat became so intense. The fire boys stood their ground nobly and had to keep their heads and bodies covered with wet sacks while they held the hose on the fire. The total loss of the structures is placed at $10,350, made up as follows: Pashley's shop, $500; fire hall, $750; Royal Hotel with barber shop, restaurant and cigar stand, $3000; Nanaimo hotel and restaurant, $3000; Stephenson's store, $2200; Morgan's store, $600. The total loss of stock is estimated at $20,000, while about $10,000 has been lost by damage in removal.

The stock of the Royal hotel was insured for $2000 in the Norwich Union; the furniture of the Nanaimo hotel for $1500 in the London and Canadian, and Stephenson's stock for $6500 in the Phoenix. The others who suffered slightly were more or less insured. In consequence of the insurance companies recently refusing risks the insurance on stock was very light and the owners of the buildings preferred to take the risk instead of paying the high rate of insurance asked by the companies, and in consequence not one of the structures totally destroyed had a cent of insurance on them. Williams block can probably be put in order again for $1500; and the Central hotel, T. Davis' store, Hirst Bros.' store, Hemans & Co.'s butcher shop and the Nanaimo pharmacy were badly scorched, but it will not cost much to repair the damage. T. L. Davis' stock was greatly damaged by water. No more bodies have been recovered so far and the victims, Minnie Corcoran and James Abrams still lie in a precarious condition.

J. D. Milne and William Godfrey, two Victorians, had a narrow escape in getting out of the burning building.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

A Gist of What is Going on the World Over.

THE RING.

New Orleans, Sept. 28.—As Corbett has wired that Fitzsimmons must defeat O'Donnell before he would meet the middleweight, President Schell, of the Olympic club, has determined to bring the affair to an issue at once. He will wait three days for a reply, and if the same does not materialize he will call a meeting of the board and a manifesto will be issued giving Corbett a reasonable length of time to reply.

Should he fail to agree to a meeting with Fitz the club will announce the latter as heavyweight champion of the world and ready to hold the title against any and all comers. The club claims the right to do this, and the title was lost and won in its arena.

New Orleans, Sept. 28.—Middleweight champion Fitzsimmons mailed the following letter this morning to Champion Corbett:

"Mr. James J. Corbett, Champion of the World—Dear Sir: At every opportunity when my name has been used in connection with a battle with you for the world's championship you have endeavored to belittle my claim to a fight on the ground, as you put it, that I am not in your class, or you have not seen the color of my money. I am very well aware of the fact that, although I have earned more money than you at fighting since I have become middleweight champion, you can buy and sell me financially. No doubt your faculty of saving is better than mine, therefore, I hope that a $10,000 side bet will not stand as a barrier against securing a match with you. The amount of money I shall put up has decided many of the championship contests in the past, and I hope you will not refuse. When you sign for a $25,000, such as is offered by the Olympic Club at the present time, you will find my name attached without asking for the loser's end. In order to show my sincerity to the public at large I will make you two propositions:

"First—That we engage the largest hall in New York city and give a boxing exhibition, four rounds, scientific points only, for the benefit of the poor of New York city. I will give you any pledge you may demand. I will not attempt to knock you out. In case competent judges decide that I am not in your class as far as skill and science are concerned, I will never ask for a match with you again.

"Second—I ask to be allowed to formally challenge you to give me a chance to meet you to a finish, to decide the world's championship, according to the Marquis of Queensbury rules. In order to again show my sincerity, I hereby deposit the sum of $10,000 as a side bet, with the privilege of increasing it later on if my financial standing will allow. I most respectfully call your attention to the fact that I have already signed articles to meet you before the Olympic Club for $25,000, the winner to take all, and I trust you will see your way clear to do likewise. Respectfully yours,

"ROBERT FITZSIMMONS,

"Champion Middleweight of America."

Lewiston, Me., Sept. 28.—Champion James J. Corbett, who appeared here tonight in "Gentleman Jack," was made acquainted with the fact that Fitzsimmons has published a formal challenge to fight. The campion read the letter aloud to Steve O'Donnell, and when he came to the place where the middleweight pledged himself, not to attempt a knockout, he roared with laughter.

"Well, Steve, what do you think of that?" said Corbett, while O'Donnell smiled. After he had finished reading, Corbett said: "Of course I expected Fitz would do something of this sort, but he is too ambitious. I will attend to him when the proper time comes. I do not propose to fight him," continued the champion, "until he has defeated some one worth mentioning. What's the use of my fighting a middleweight when there are plenty of men who can do him easily? He wants to skip over all the heavyweights and tackle me."

"That's right, Jim," said O'Donnell.

"You just say for me," O'Donnell added, that I will make the same proposition to spar Fits in New York that he makes to Corbett, and then if I do not prove that he is out of his class it will do for him to talk about meeting Jim."

"Will you accept his challenge for a finish fight?" he was asked.

"You bet I will," said Steve, "and I can cover his money just as soon as he wishes. In fact, I am coming out with a challenge for him, and he can get all the fight he wants without tackling Corbett."

MAHRER AFTER FITZ.

New York, Sept. 28.—In a talk with a reporter yesterday, Mahrer said: "Fitzsimmons must give me a chance or I'll know the reason why. I am entitled to one now I think. I feel sure I can beat him. I stood twelve rounds before him when I was a mere green country fellow from Ireland. He did not knock me out either. Creedon did not give him as good a fight as I did, so he ought to give me the preference. I can get backing, and that's all that is required these days."

THE TURF.

SOME GREAT RACING.

Columbus, O., Sept. 28.—About 10,000 people witnessed the races at the Columbus driving park yesterday. The weather was warm and clear, but not warm enough to bring out the mettle of the horses. The track was fast, but too hard. Alix went to beat her record of 2:03 3-4, but the start was a little slow and she landed under the wire in 2:04 1-2. Time by quarters: :31, 1:02 1-2, 1:34 1-2, 2:04 1-2. Her driver, McDowell, made a great effort to lower her record, and the crowd showed its appreciation by hearty applause. Flying Jib was sent against his record of 2:04, and landed under the wire in 2:06 1-4. Directly was also sent against his record of 2:07 3-4, and finished in 2:09 1-2. The team race between Azote and Answer, owned by Monroe Salisbury, and Rose Leaf and Sallie Simmons owned by George Starr, was close and exciting. Rose Leaf and Sallie Simmons won by about half a length. The Salisbury team led all the way around to the stretch, when one of the horses broke and the Starr team shot ahead, holding the lead to the wire. The time was 2.15 1-4, the world's record by a trotting team in a race.

The fastest time ever made for a mile by a trotting team in a race was 2:15 1-4, by Maxey Cobb and Neta Medium, driven by John Murphy, at Chicago, September 25, 1885.

The sulky in which Alix was driven her great mile was the lightest ever made, weighing only twenty-one pounds. The weight includes the shafts. The sulky is made largely of aluminum, and withstood the test successfully. It was used for the first time here.

ROBERT J. BEATS PATCHEN.

Davenport, Ia., Sept. 28.—Robert J. is still the king of pacers. Before 10,000 people on the Davenport mile track he easily defeated Joe Patchen two straight heats, and then, after Joe had withdrawn by agreement, paced a mile with a running mate in 2:02 3-4, the fastest third heat by two seconds ever paced. In the first heat he finished in a jog with a lead of six lengths in 2:05 1-4. The last quarter of the third heat was made in 29 3-4 seconds.

THE WHEEL.

CANADIAN THE CHAMPION.

Waltham, Mass., Sept. 28.—Harley Davidson, the Canadian crack Class A rider, reduced the Class A half-mile record, flying start, paced, this afternoon, making the distance in :57 1-5. He covered half a mile, standing start, in 1:00 1-5. A. Whorter, Waltham, made a two mile, Class A, unpaced record, flying start, in 4.55 1-5. The best previous time was 5:00 1-5.

POOL.

CARTER HOUSE TOURNAMENT.

The third night's play of the pool handicap at the Carter house brought the largest crowd that has ever attended an event of the kind in this city. The contestants, C. Berry, of Seattle, and C. Dalby, of Nanaimo, played an almost errorless game, the audience applauding time and again on Berry's "large" bank shots. The score stood 100 to 87 in Berry's favor. This evening Archie Reid (scratch), well known to Victorians, and C. Lawson (scratch) will begin play at 8.30 sharp, and those attending will no doubt see a contest well worth witnessing.

THE RIFLE.

AN AUSTRALIAN TEAM.

Captain Oldershaw, First Infantry regiment, and chairman of the New South Wales Rifle association and secretary of the federal council, has for some time past been in communication with Major Frederick W. McQueen (Woodstock, Twenty-second Battalion, Windsor, Ontario, Canada), a member of the executive of the Dominion Rifle Council, and himself an enthusiastic rifle shot, with respect to New South Wales sending a team to Bisley next year in command of Captain Oldershaw, and visiting Canada on the way in time to compete in the provincial and Dominion matches in September. The major also wishes to know, with a view of a Canadian team visiting Australia, what are the best months, whether the expense would be very heavy while in Australia, and what would be the daily outlay.—Sydney Herald.

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Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

THE CHURCHES.

Evangelical Church of England (R. E.), corner Third street and King's road. Services as usual at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Preacher, Rev. G. C. King. Sunday school at 3 p.m.

Harvest thanksgiving services will be held to-morrow at Emmanuel Baptist church. The church has been prettily decorated for the occasion. There will be special song services.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church—Pastor, the Rev. W. L. Clay, B. A. Rev. D. McRae, of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, will preach at 11 a.m., and the pastor at 7 p.m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p.m.

Metropolitan Methodist Church—Sermons 11 a.m and 7 p.m. by the pastor, Rev. S. Cleaver, M. A. Morning subject, "Adrift Without Knowing It." Evening subject, "The Important Question." Sunday school and Bible class at 2.30 p.m.

St. Paul's Churh, Victoria West, Sunday, 3rd September. Services in connection with the third anniversary of the church. The Rev. W. L. Clay, B. A., will preach at 11 a.m., and the pastor, the Rev. D. McRae, at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Central Presbyterian church, corner of Kingston and Oswego streets, James Bay. Rev. T. H. Rogers will occupy the pulpit morning and evening, the pastor, Rev. P. McF. Macleod conducting anniversary services in the Presbyterian church at Wellington.

Emmanuel Baptist Church—Special harvest home services will be held to-morrow. In the morning the pastor will speak specially to the Sunday school. Subject, "A True Story." At 2.30 p.m. the Sunday school will have their annual harvest home service, when an interesting programme will be carried out by the scholars. At 7 p.m. a special address to young people. Subject, "Now, and Then."

The annual harvest festival at St. Mark's church, Boleskin road, will be held to-morrow. Services at 11 a.m., celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 3 p.m., service at 7 p.m., festal evensong. The music will be appropriate to the harvest and Festival of St. Michael and All Angels. The altar and chancel have been beautifully decorated by members of the congregation. The church is free. All are made welcome.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound, September 29—J. A. Ritchie, Rithet & Co., C. W. Rogers, Simon Leiser, Wilson Bros., N. W. Produce Co., Weiler Bros., McMillan & Anderson, P. Metro, Valo & Brooks. For Vancouver—F. B. Stewart, Stewart & Lethwart.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound, September 29—Miss Friday, Mrs. Balentine, Miss Gabie, Miss Lottie Jones, L. W. Williamson, Mrs. Williamson, Miss Freddie Ward, Agness Woodard, John Jones, E. A. Cushing, F. B. Moulton, Robert Purser, P. Carleson.

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DOMINION VOTERS.

The Times office, Yates street Will be open on Saturday evening until 9 p.m. to take the declarations of all who may wish to register as Dominion voters. On the same evening a notary will be at Sherk's grocery, Spring Ridge, for the same purpose. There is no fee or expense, and every person entitled to register will be accommodated. Workingmen will thus lose no time and be put to no inconvenience by attending at either of the places mentioned on Saturday evening.

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The Toronto Tailor

Wishes to announce to the general public that he has opened a Merchant Tailoring establishment at 46 Yates street. His stock consists of the latest importation of Woolens in the most fashionable designs. Prices to be a revelation to people of Victoria. Fit and workmanship guaranteed or money refunded. People desiring to have suits made up of their own cloth will find this the cheapest place in the city.

Suits from $12 up.
Pants from $2.50 up.

Including trimmings. None but white labor employed.
Please note the address.

GOLDMAN, The Toronto Tailor,
aug 29-1m 46 Yates Street.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

All claims against this institution up to and inclusive of 30th September are to be rendered not later than 6th of October. A statement of account (if any) to accompany the same. Address to HON. TREASURER,

Care H. M. Yates, Secretary,
6 Bastion St.

Victoria, September 26th, 1894. s27-1w

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the business heretofore carried on under the firm name of "J. Boscowitz & Sons" as fur dealers, will hereafter be carried on by the undersigned on his sole and separate account. All claims against the late firm, or against Mr. Jos. Boscowitz individually, are to be presented forthwith.

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